GOVERNMENT OFANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Commercial Taxes Department – Restructuring for augmentation of revenue - Establishment of Regional functional vertical units for Audit and Enforcement – Notification- Orders –Issued.

REVENUE (COMMERCIAL TAXES-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No.503 Dated:01.07.2022.

Read the following:

1. G.O.MS.No.419 Revenue (Commercial Taxes-1) Department dt 01.06.2022.
2. From the CCST, A.P., Vijayawada Lr. No. REV03-16022/26/2022-C SEC-CCT, dt.14.06.2022.
3. G.O.MS.No.502 Revenue (Commercial Taxes-1) Department dt.01.07.2022 (Territorial jurisdiction notification of circles and divisions).

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ORDER:

Government vide reference 1st read above, issued orders for restructuring of the Commercial Taxes Department structurally and functionally to make the Department more efficient and result oriented facilitating augmentation of revenues. The orders, inter alia include establishment of functional verticals for audit / enforcement functions. In the said orders, the Chief Commissioner of State Tax was directed to submit necessary proposals for notifying the territorial jurisdictions of functional verticals for Regional Audit and Enforcement Units.

2. Following the orders issued by the Government, the Chief Commissioner of State Tax, A.P., Vijayawada submitted proposals vide reference 2nd read above, for notifying the three (3) Regional Audit and Enforcement units headed by Additional Commissioners of State Tax with Head Quarters at Tirupati, Vijayawada and Visakhkapatnam. The proposals also include the territorial jurisdictions of each of the three Regional units. Government after careful examination approves the proposals of the Chief Commissioner of State Tax.

3. Accordingly, the following notification shall be published in an Extra-ordinary issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette, Dated:01.07.2022.

NOTIFICATION

1. Government, approving the proposals of the Chief Commissioner of State Tax, hereby order to establish three Regional Audit and Enforcement units headed by Additional Commissioners of State Tax with Head Quarters at Tirupati, Vijayawada and Visakhkapatnam. The Three units shall have the territorial jurisdiction over the Divisions mentioned in the table below:

(P.T.O.)

Regional unit with head-quarters at Tirupathi	**Regional unit with head-quarters at Vijayawada**	**Regional unit with head-quarters at Visakhapatnam**
Anantapur, Kurnool, Cuddapah, Chittoor, and Nellore Commercial Taxes Divisions	Guntur-I, Guntur-II Vijayawada-I, Vijayawada-II, Vijayawada-III and Eluru Commercial Taxes Divisions	Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam-I, Visakhapatnam-II, Kakinada, and Rajamahendravaram Commercial Taxes Divisions

2. Each of the Regional Units shall consist of three (3) teams for 'Enforcement' one team headed by Deputy Commissioner (ST), and another two teams headed by Assistant Commissioners (ST). There shall be Six (6) 'Audit' teams one team headed by Deputy Commissioner (ST) and the other five teams headed by Assistant Commissioners (ST). The officers and supporting staff required shall be provided by shifting the staff on tenure basis from the existing cadre strength of the department.

3. The name of the office shall be 'Regional GST Audit and Enforcement Office', Tirupathi/ Vijayawada/ Visakhapatnam

4. This notification shall come into force with effect from 01.07.2022.

4. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance (HR.II) Department vide their U.O.No.1689713/HR.II/FIN01-HROPDPP(RRD)/53/2022, Dated: 29.06.2022.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

N. GULZAR
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (CT) FINANCE

To
The Commissioner of Printing, Stationery and Stores Purchase (Publication Wing), A.P., Vijayawada ... for publication of the Notification (he is requested to supply 20 copies of the notification to this Department and 200 copies to the Chief Commissioner of State Tax, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada).
The Chief Commissioner of State Tax, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
Copy to:
The General Administration (Vigilance & Enforcement) Department.
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
The Director of Treasury and Accounts, A.P , Vijayawada.
The Secretary, AP VAT Appellate Tribunal, D.No.60-50-30/12(2), Meghana Towers, Opp:Gurudwara Bus Stop, Visakhapatnam-530013.
The P.S. to Special Chief Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister.
The P.S. to the Hon'ble Minister (Finance & Commercial Taxes).
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//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER